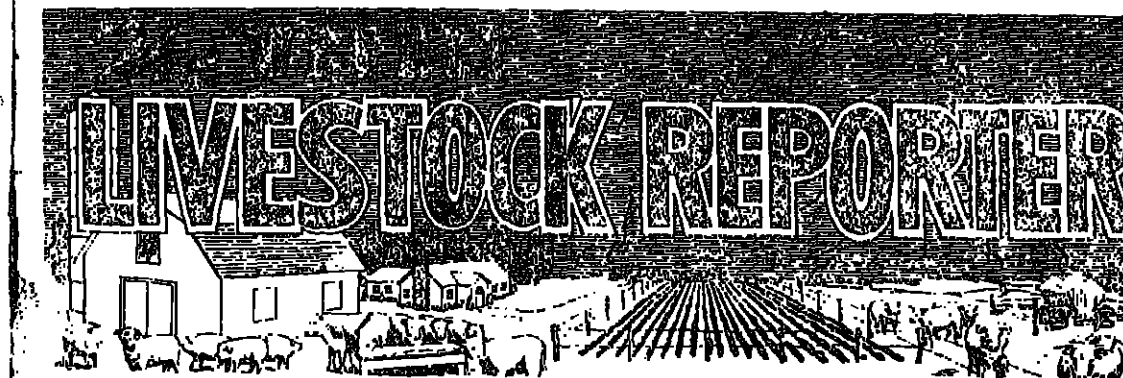


# Gains In Cattle Prices Expected In 1977 By Cattlemen



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POLITICAL PROMISES & NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS...

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Th' other day N.Y. Mayor Abraham Beame joined th' troupe of Democratic Pilgrims to our latest Mecca, commonly known as Plains, Ga., and after a session with Carter Beame beamed, as th' Press-Bect assured th' world bankruptcy for New York was no solution. As usual, Jimmy left th' details for a later date, but this promise was just one more added to what has to be th' longest laundry list any inbound President ever rang up. Th' Labor Boys are in some kind of snit because th' whinners & blacks did not put pressure on to assure Dunlop's selection as Boey, of Labor, and there are some rumblings that the females and blacks may get lukewarm labor efforts on some of their legislative dreams.

Carter promised he was gonna jerk th' check outta th' bureaucracy and reorganize things so that overhappin' & (CONT. ON PAGE 16)

## Beef Development Plans Aims For Better Sales Climate

Ed Note: Third in a series, this article presents a look at how the proposed beef market development plan would build a better climate for beef sales through more effective communications.

The definition of beef marketing is simple enough. It's all those business activities that move beef from the hoof to the table. But while the definition might be (CONT. ON PAGE 21)

## Direct Feedlot Trade Slow, Prices Mostly Steady, Firm On Monday

Anarillo, Jan. 3 (F-S) — Trade very slow throughout the Panhandle area early Monday. Slaughter steers and heifers steady. Steers 1,500; Good and mostly choice 65-75 percent choice 2-4 1050-1100 lbs. 40.00-40.50, bulk 40.00. Mixed good and choice 2-4 1050-1100 lbs. 38.50. Couple loads good and choice 2-3 1150 lb. Holsteins 37.00. Heifers 550: Good and mostly choice 2-4 850-975 lbs. 37.75-38.00.

Trade was moderate throughout the Panhandle area Thursday and over the long weekend. Slaughter steers and heifers firm. Steers 6,800; Good and mostly choice 65-80 percent choice 2-4 1000-1175 lbs. 40.00-40.50, bulk 40.00. 7 loads mostly choice 3-4 1300 lbs. 39.00. Mixed good and choice 2-3 1050-1100 lbs. 39.25-39.50. 1,500 head on rail basis. Heifers 1,200: Good and mostly choice 2-4 900-950 lbs. 37.00-38.00. Several loads good and choice 3-4 925-950 lbs. 37.00, 200 on rail basis.

Dodge City, Jan. 3 (USDA) — Trade slow. Few sales slaughter steers and heifers fully steady. Steers 2,500; Choice 2-4, mostly 3 1100-1225 lbs. 39.25-40.25, about 600 head Monday at 39.50-40.25; couple loads choice with and good 1100 lb. Holsteins 35.00. Heifers 1,100: Choice 2-4 925-975 lbs. 38.00-38.50, later price Monday; few choice with and good

925-1050 lbs. 36.50-37.25.

Wichita, Jan. 3 (USDA) — Slaughter steers and slaughter heifers firm to 50c higher. Trade slow over weekend and early Monday. Steers 2,200; Choice 2-4 mostly 3 1075-1200 lbs. 39.50 to mostly 40.00, several loads 40.50. Choice and of good 2-4 mostly 3 1075-1150 lbs. 39.00-39.50. Heifers 1,050: Average and high choice including prime 2-4 975-1000 lbs. 38.50-39.00. Choice 2-4 mostly 3 925-975 lbs. 38.00-38.50. Mostly choice end of good 2-4 1000-1050 lbs. 37.50.

Eastern Nebraska Feedlot Sales, Jan. 3 (F-S) — Confirmed 3,900. Live sales, 75 pct. of volume, steers and heifers little changed. Steers: Major loads 60-80 pct. choice, balance good 2-4 1000-1275 lbs. 39.50-40.00, small volume 70-80 pct. choice 3-4 1100-1225 lbs. 40.00-40.30 delivered. Heifers: Mixed good to 50-75 pct. choice 2-3 850-1050 lbs. 37.00-38.25, limited volume 70-80 pct. choice 2-3 900-1050 lbs. 38.00-39.00. Dressed basis, 25 pct. of volume, steady. Weight Only: Steers: Good to prime, mostly choice 600-800 lbs. 2-4 63.50-64.50, mostly 64.00. Weight Only: Heifers: Good to mostly choice 2-3 400-700 lbs. bulked 61.00.

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## Okl. Hog Numbers Estimated 10% Up

Hogs and pigs on December 1, 1976 were estimated at 830,000 head for an increase of 10% over a year earlier and 3% above the June 1, 1976 inventory. Most of the increase was attributable to more new but smaller hog farms according to the Oklahoma Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. About 53,000 head or 10% of the total were being kept for breeding purposes compared with 59,000 head for breeding on June 1, 1976 and a breeding inventory of 48,000 on December 1, 1975. Hogs and pigs for market and home use, at 277,000 head, were 10% above a year ago. Total pig crop from December 1975 through November 1976 was 486,000, 11% above the previous year. Sows farrowing during the December-May period numbered 82,000 head with an (CONT. ON PAGE 23)

## Cycle Of Expanded Production Is Seen Coming To End, Downturn In Inventory Noted Following Record Beef Production

Denver, Dec. 31 — Beef production during 1976 is expected to decline, and a downturn in retail prices may be in store for 1977, according to the president of the American National Cattlemen's Association today.

Wray Finney explained that the cattle industry is nearing the end of a cyclical period of rapidly expanding beef output, and per capita supplies (CONT. ON PAGE 18)

## November Red Meat Production Up 16%, 8% for 11 Months

Washington, Dec. 29 (USDA) — Commercial production of red meat in the United States totaled almost 3.5 billion pounds in November, 1976, more than a year ago and 9% above November 1974, according to the Crop Reporting Board. Total red meat (CONT. ON PAGE 16)

## Plentiful Supplies of Meat in 1977 Being Predicted

Washington, Dec. 29 — There will be plentiful supplies of meat at reasonable prices in 1977, the American Meat Institute said today.

Institute President Richard Lyng predicted an increase in pork production over the 1976 level and said that (CONT. ON PAGE 23)

## Fed Cattle Prices Mixed, Hogs Sell Lower On Heavier Receipts

Around the major terminal markets Monday the hog supply was some 10,000 larger than a week ago and prices were unevenly to sharply off. Slaughter cattle receipts were a few hundred smaller than last Monday, and while prices were mixed, most points posted advances. Price trends, quotations on choice and prime steers and heifers and the mixed good and choice grades, and U.S. 1-3 hogs weighing mostly 200 to 270 pounds included:

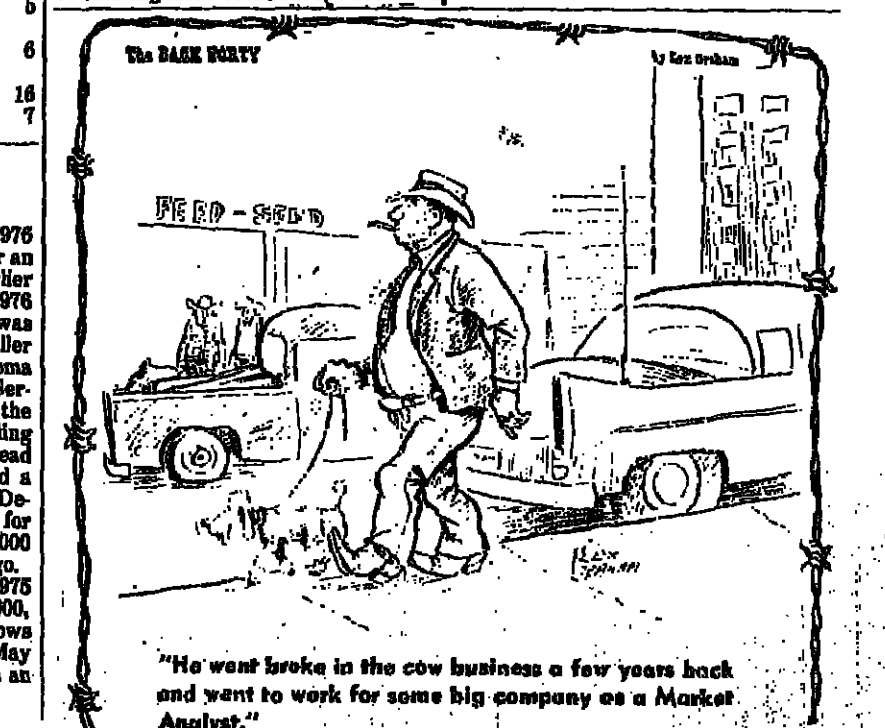
37.00-38.50; heifers 36.00-38.25 and 34.50-36.25. Hogs steady to 50c lower at 37.00-39.25. St. Joseph fed cattle steady to 50c under last Monday. Steers 38.00-40.00 and 37.50-38.50; heifers 37.00-38.50 and 35.50-36.50. Hogs 50-75c lower at 30.75-39.00. Kansas City fed cattle 1.00-1.50 lower, steers choice 37.00-38.50 and goods 33.00-35.00; choice heifers 36.00-37.50 and good 32.00-35.00. Hogs 50-1.00 lower at 36.00-38.50.

Choice fed cattle 50-1.00 higher, steers 37.00 on some heavier to 41.00 and 39.00-39.50; heifers 35.00-38.50 and 33.00-37.00. Hogs 50-1.00 to 1.30. Sioux City steers 50-75c up, heifers steady to 50c higher. Steers 39.25-40.25 and 38.25-38.50; heifers 37.25-38.75 and 36.00-37.00. Hogs 50-75c lower at 36.00-39.00.

Panhandle fed cattle 50-75c higher, steers 39.25-41.50 and 38.00-39.50; heifers 37.00-39.00 and 36.00-37.00. Hogs 1.00 lower at 35.00-39.25. Joliet fed cattle 75-1.00 higher, steers 39.50-41.75 and 38.50-40.00; heifers 38.00-39.50 and 36.50-38.00. Hogs 1.00 lower at 36.00-39.00.

St. Paul cattle steady to 50c higher, steers 38.50-39.50 and 37.50-38.50; heifers 37.00-37.50 and 35.50-37.00. Hogs 1.00-1.50 lower at 36.00-39.00. Sioux Falls fed cattle steady, steers 38.00-39.50 and 37.50-38.50; heifers 36.50-37.50 and 35.50-36.50. Hogs steady to 25c off at 36.50-38.50.

St. Louis steers steady, heifers firm to 1.00 higher. Steers 35.00-40.00 and (CONT. ON PAGE 16)

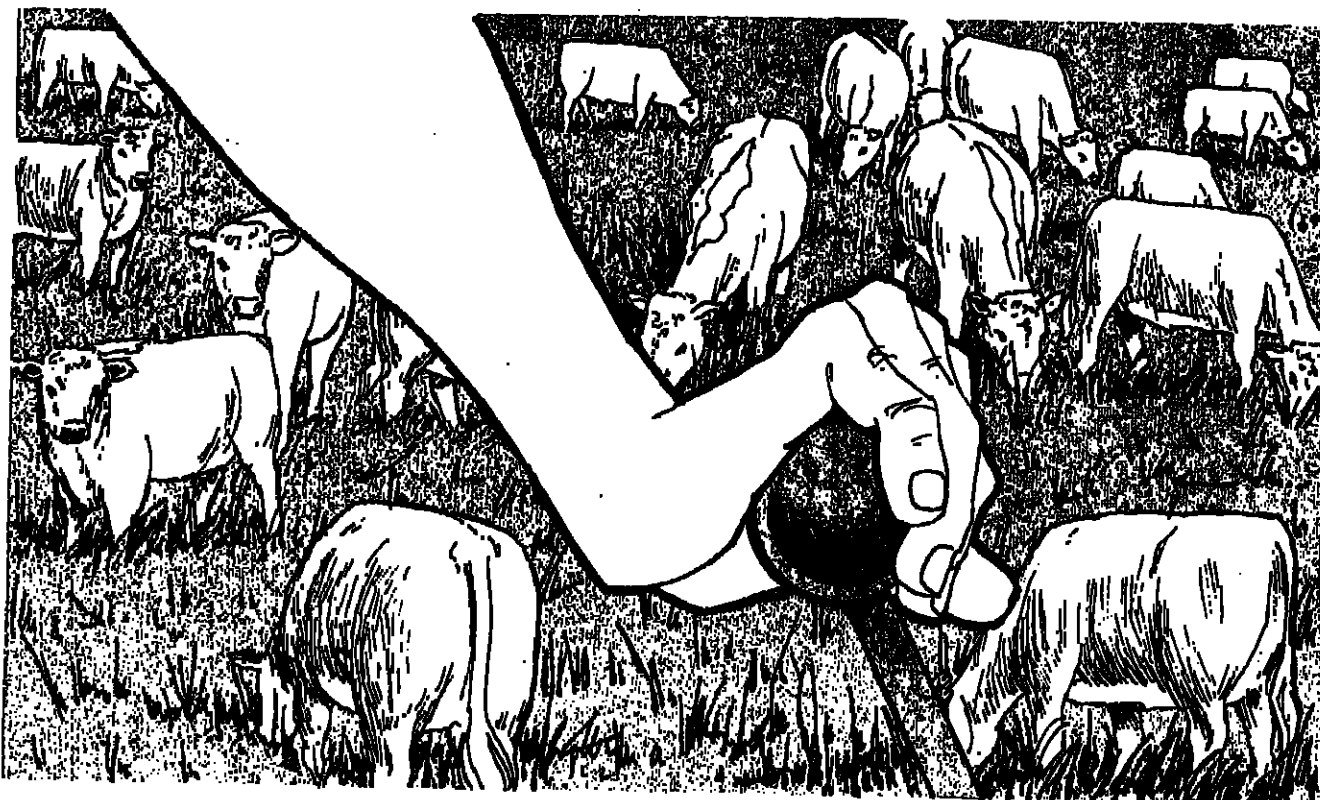


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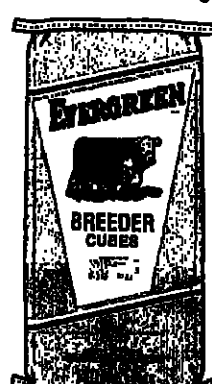
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### Hides and Offal

Washington, Dec. 30 (USDA) - The value of hides and offal from the average 1,000 pound slaughter steer for the week ending 1-1-77, was estimated at \$4.03 per 100 pound live weight compared with \$4.12 the previous week and \$3.81 a year ago.

### Special Bred Cow And Heifer Sale

Maryville, Jan. 11

Maryville, Mo. - A Special Bred Cow and Heifer Sale is set for Tuesday, January 11, 1977 at the Maryville Livestock Market at Maryville, Mo.

About 2,000 head of cattle will be sold. All cows will be aged, pregnancy tested and meet health requirements of any state. Special features include an offering of 110 head of black-whiteface two-year-old heifers, bred to Angus bulls. 90 head of Sandhill Hereford heifers, bred to Angus bulls, 55 head of three-year-old black-whiteface heifers, bred to Hereford bulls and 85 3-6 year-old Angus cows, pasture bred to Hereford and Angus bulls.

All cows are from Northwest Missouri and Southwest Iowa. There are many consignments of bred heifers from reputation herds in Nebraska, Colorado and the Dakotas.

For information contact Dave Daniel, Manager, Maryville Livestock Market, Maryville, Mo., 816/582-7101.

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low-dressing 17.00-19.00. Bulls: Yield grade 1 and 2 1200-1800 lbs. 30.00-34.50, with high-dressing individual 35.00 and few low-dressing 27.00-29.50. Feeder Steers: Few choice 450-700 lbs. 35.00-37.00. Good 350-700 lbs. 33.00-35.50, standard 30.00-33.00. Heifers: Choice 350-575 lbs. 29.00-32.00, good 25.50-29.00.

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### Sioux Falls Monday Feeders Sell Higher

Sioux Falls, Jan. 3 (URDA) — Receipts 2,600. Feeder steers and heifers steady to 1.00 higher, most upturn on steers under 800 lbs. and heifers. Demand good. Capacity attendance. Feeder Steers: Choice including few prime 350-500 lbs. 37.10-40.75, largely 38.00-40.00, 2 lots choice and prime 425-435 lbs. 42.00. Choice, few prime 500-600 lbs. 37.20-40.30, largely 38.75-40.00. Choice 600-700 lbs. 37.00-40.20, mostly 38.00-39.30; few lots 700-800 lbs. 35.80-37.75; moderate fleshed and fleshy 800-900 lbs. 35.70-36.70; fleshy and partly fattened 900-1038 lbs. 36.00-38.20, including 279 head consignment.

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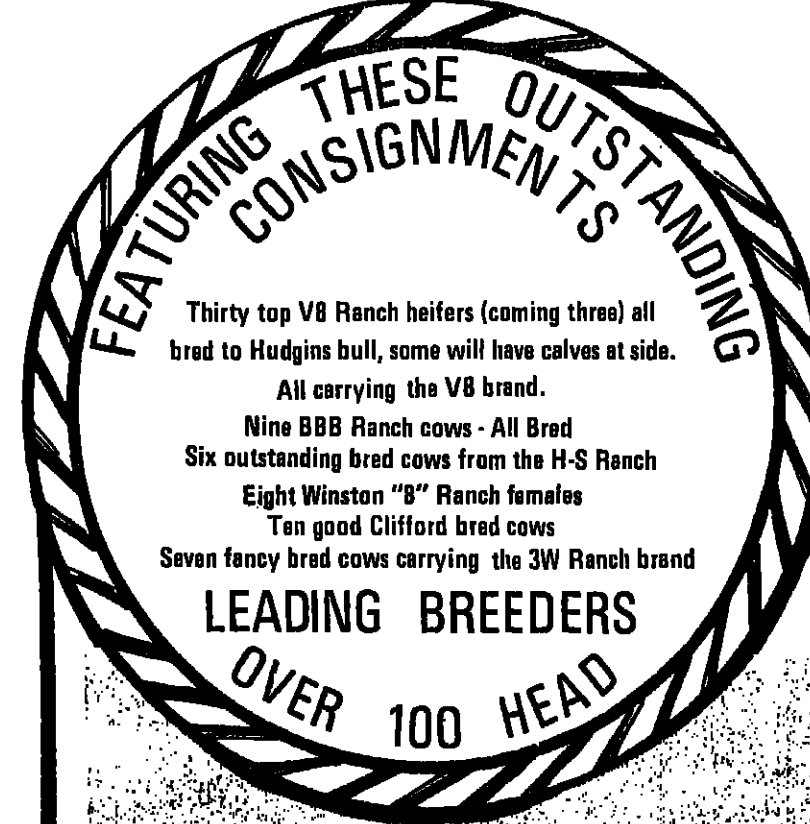
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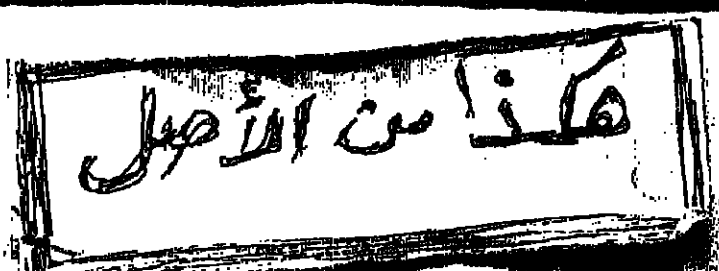
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## Rockbrook Hereford

**Bulls Gross \$120,490**  
Montalba, Texas — Jim Stafford's  
Rockbrook Ranch Hereford bull pro-  
duction sale here Dec. 10 grossed  
\$120,490 for an average of \$777 on 155  
bulls including 10 unregistered ones.  
The 146 registered bulls averaged  
\$788 and the unregistered \$698.  
Stafford, of Dallas, and his ranch  
manager, Alex Sakellariadis, were  
hosts to a good crowd who accepted  
the bulls readily.

Bobby Foster, Stephenville, bought  
the three top selling bulls: RBF Lad  
E46, a son of 28 Lad F85, for \$1,800;  
another F85 son for \$1,700; and RBF  
Advance E386, a son of HH Advance  
B518, for \$1,600. Foster bought six  
bulls totaling \$8,160 for an average of  
\$1368.

Minor Davis Farms, Texarkana,  
paid \$1,475 for RBF Lad E281 and  
\$1800 for RBF Lad E46. Tom Deen,  
Cherokee, paid \$1425 for RBF Ad-  
vance E476; Dr. John Cassidy,  
Nacogdoches, paid \$1175 for RBF Lad  
E79; and OR Ranch, Dallas, paid  
\$1,200 for RBF Domino E146.  
Valley View Farms, Dallas, bought  
15 bulls for \$12,250 for an \$817  
average; Triangle Ranch, owned by  
Kenneth Lesley, Stephenville, bought  
18 bulls for a total of \$14,650 for an  
average of \$814; Redding & Redding,  
Madisonville, bought 11 bulls for  
\$7,185.

## James Steen New AJHA Director

James Steen, 20-year-old son of Mr.  
and Mrs. Jim Bob Steen, Marfa, has  
been elected to the board of directors  
of the American Junior Hereford As-  
sociation. The AJHA is an 8000  
member nation-wide youth affiliate of  
the American Hereford Association  
with headquarters in Kansas City, Mo.  
Its primary function is the initiation  
and development of youth pro-  
grams directly related to leadership  
development and beef industry educa-  
tion.

James is a junior agricultural econ-  
omies major at Texas A&M Univer-  
sity, College Station. He has served  
two terms as president of the Texas  
Junior Hereford Association, was a

## 800 Commercial Hereford Heifers In Show-Sale At Fort Worth Show

Fort Worth — The seventh an-  
nual commercial Hereford heifer  
show and sale in connection with  
the Southwestern Exposition and  
Fair Stock Show will have an of-  
fering of 800 purebred commercial  
Herefords in the sale starting at  
1 p.m. Sunday, Jan. 30 in stock  
show barn No. 6.

The heifers will come from 22  
leading Texas Hereford breeders  
including: Estate of S. B. Bur-  
nett & Tom L. Burnett Cattle Co.,  
Fort Worth; Paul Dauer, Panhan-  
die; W. K. Gordon, Jr., Fort Worth;  
MO Cattle Co., Albany; Swenson  
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Richard Windham, Baird; J. A.  
Matthews, Albany; George Glas-  
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Worth; Buster Carter, Pampa;  
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and; Boone Ranch, Littlefield; and  
J. E. Birdwell, Lubbock. Also:  
Coldwater Cattle Co., Inc., Amar-  
illo; Summerour Hereford Ranch,  
Dalhart; Chester Latham, Dalhart;  
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## Granite Hills Hereford Ranch Site Of All-American Jr. Field Day

Kansas City — The 1977 All-Ameri-  
can Junior Hereford Field Day has  
been scheduled for Thursday and  
Friday, July 28-29, 1977 to be held at  
Granite Hills Hereford Ranch near  
Llano, Texas, according to a recent  
announcement by the American  
Junior Hereford Association.  
Among items of interest to be in-  
cluded on the program will be an  
educational discussion concerning  
feeder calf composition and structure,  
grading and other points of impor-  
tance. A ranch tour of the registered

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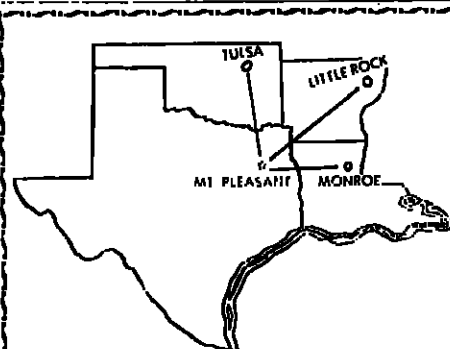
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operator 100% of the calves, but the operator will furnish the black bulls  
to be used on the yearling heifers. The operator may select the Registered  
Hereford bulls to be used on the cow herd and we will pay one-half of the  
cost of these bulls. Vaccine and veterinarian expenses shall be shared on  
the same basis. Any cow or heifer that dies or is otherwise lost or missing,  
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## Gulf Coast Hereford Sale At Columbus Set For February 11

Columbus, Texas — The Gulf  
Coast Hereford Association will  
hold its 27th Annual Spring Sale  
on Friday, February 11, 1977, at  
the American Legion Park in Col-  
umbus, Texas.

Sixty-eight registered Herefords  
have been consigned to this sale.  
There will be fifty-seven horned  
bulls, ranging in age from 15 to  
29 months, with 28 head calving in  
the fall of 1974. There will be  
three polled bulls, calving in the  
spring of 1975. Eight horned heif-  
ers have been consigned, ranging  
in age from 17 to 25 months, sev-  
eral of which will be bred by the  
date of the sale.

The cattle are clean pedigreed;  
are acclimated to Gulf Coast con-  
ditions, and will be tested for  
brucellosis and TB to meet health  
requirements to move into any  
area. They will sell as single lots  
and in pens of two and three.  
Larry L. Boleman, Extension  
Beef Cattle Specialist from Bryan,  
will judge the cattle for the sales  
beginning at 8:00 a.m. on  
February 11. The auctioneers are  
Walter (T.L. 0036) and Dick (T.L. 0035)  
Britton of Bryan, who will  
start the sale at 1:00 p.m.

Upland selection class.  
In addition to the regular field day  
activities, several notable Texas  
Hereford ranches will host an "Open  
House" in the days immediately pre-  
ceding and after the Granite Hills  
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and unsurpassed scenic beauty.  
Indications are that the largest  
crowd of Hereford youth and breeders  
in the history of the All-American  
Field Day will assemble for the  
Granite Hills event.

All reservations for accommoda-  
tions are being handled through the  
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J. G. Frank & Sons, Giddings, Tex-  
as; Haristack Hereford Farm,  
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## SUNDAY, JANUARY 30

8:00 a.m. — Texas Hereford Association 7th Annual Com-  
mercial Hereford Heifer Show.

1:00 p.m. — Texas Hereford Association 800 Purebred  
Commercial Hereford Heifer Sale. Born 6.

3:30 p.m. — Junior Hereford Heifer Show.

## MONDAY, JANUARY 31

8:00 a.m. — "Jack Turner" Register of Merit Hereford  
Breeding Show.

6:00 p.m. — Texas Hereford Association Social Hour,  
Kahler Green Oaks Inn, Sponsored by Fort Worth  
Hereford Club.

7:00 p.m. — Texas Hereford Association Annual Ban-  
quet, Kahler Green Oaks Inn.

8:00 p.m. — Texas Hereford Association Annual Member-  
ship Meeting, Kahler Green Oaks Inn.

For Additional Information or Reservations,  
Contact:

## Texas Hereford Association

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## Jack Turner

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that he could" had already led him to become a top 4-H Club boy in high school, and to a place on a team of Texas 4-H boys which won a trip to Europe in 1923. In college he won the freshman livestock judging contest and he was on both the junior and senior livestock judging teams. During high school and college years he spent his free time and summers on farms and ranches gaining experience he could use in the beef breeding business.

His first job after graduation was with Harrisdale Farms, Fort Worth. He later became a livestock specialist for the Missouri Pacific Lines in Texas.

In 1933 Turner assumed management of Silver Creek Farms, Fort

Worth. During the following nine years he carried the herd to a place among the top Hereford establishments in the nation. During this period he also served as secretary of the Texas Hereford Assn. from 1934 to 1938, demonstrating his willingness to put personal interest and gain aside for the promotion of Hereford.

After the Silver Creek Farms herd was dispersed in 1942, Turner leased the ranch and started his own Silver Creek Herefords, which he built into one of the nation's leading herds. He won many coveted championships at major shows and was in demand as a judge of leading shows.

In 1946 he dispersed his Silver Creek herd to assume the job of secretary to the American Hereford Assn. His dispersion broke practically every record to that date for a Hereford sale. Never before had so many

registered Herefords, 649 catalogued lots, sold in a single auction at such a remarkable average price, \$1,062. The \$52,000 paid for Real Silver Domino 44th was a record price for any Hereford bull sold at auction to that date. The 66 herd bulls averaged \$3,513 and the 498 females averaged \$783.

It was a great love of and concern for the Hereford breed that persuaded Turner to disperse his prize Hereford herd and assume the AHA job during a volatile, crisis-ridden period, probably the most difficult era in the history of the Hereford breed.

During the next eight years he traveled hundreds of thousands of miles and had little time with family and friends, while he helped mold Hereford history. A lesser man would probably have thrown in the towel in the face of many of the decisions he was forced to make during his tenure as AHA secretary.

Registrations of the Herefords totaled 338,193 in 1946 and rose to past 550,000 the last two fiscal years of Turner's tenure, nearly two and one half times greater than registrations of other major beef breeds combined. Turner returned to Fort Worth to rebuild his Silver Creek Herefords into, once again, one of the most prominent herds of the day with one of the country's leading show strings. In 1964 this herd was dispersed and as the one held in 1946, was a record-breaker with 236 1/2 bulls selling for an

## Hereford Heifers

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Dr. John Nance, Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, Texas, includes heifers calving after Sept. 1, 1976, and heifers calving between Sept. 1, 1974, and Aug. 31, 1976. The show will start at 8 a.m., Jan. 30.

According to Jack Chastain, secretary of the Texas Hereford Assn., "These heifers are the real keeping kind that have been set aside especially for this annual event. I know of no other place where a buyer can select replacement females comparable to the quality that will be offered or in such great volume. Hereford females are noted for their ability to produce regularly and grow out a good calf."

Other Hereford activities during the Stock Show include the Junior Hereford steer show Saturday, Jan. 29 in purebred classes; the Junior Hereford heifer show at 8:30 p.m., Sunday, Jan. 30; and the open breeding show designated as the "Jack Turner Register of Merit Hereford Show" at 8 a.m., Monday, Jan. 31.

average of \$1,324 and the gross on the bulls and 878 females reaching \$728,060. The young bull, Real Silver Crest, was evaluated at \$80,000 when a half interest sold for \$45,000. The top 25 lots in this sale averaged \$8,981, and the top 100 lots \$3,466.

"The Texas Hereford magazine says: 'The designation of the Fort Worth Show as the Jack Turner Register of Merit Hereford Show' is a fitting tribute to a man who truly has put the improvement of the Hereford breed foremost in his life's endeavors."

## Gulf Coast Hereford Sale At Columbus Set For February 11

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Herrin, Houston, Texas; Roy H. Herrmann, Caldwell, Texas; J.D. Hereford Farm, Burton, Texas; Millcreek Farms, Industry, Texas; Rocking M Ranch, Giddings, Texas; Rocking S Ranch, Burton, Texas; Waller P. F. A., Waller, Texas; and Yurling Herefords, Schulenburg, Texas.

Lunch will be available on the grounds, and catalogs may be obtained from B. C. Gatewood, P. O. Box 91, Houston, Texas 77036, phone 713/280-2719.

## SEHHA Sale Topped By 1/2-Interest In Bull For \$3,500

Tyler Texas — In the third annual Horned Hereford bull sale held here Dec. 4 by the Southeastern Horned Hereford Assn., a half interest in the Branch Valley Ranch's junior herd sire, Tr Okie King 2318, sold for \$3,500 to the Traveling L Ranch, to top the sale. The bull calved Dec. 24, 1974, is a double bred grandson of Winrock D4. One of the major buyers, Traveling L Ranch bought five bulls for a total of \$6,420.

Bill Thompson's Circle T Ranch, Troup, Texas, paid \$1,200 each for two other Branch Valley Ranch sons of J.W. Beau Sam 1385 bred by Weldon Williams & Sons, Stephenville.

C. M. Griggs, Abilene, paid \$1,700 Mischief D843, a Feb. 6, 1976 son of Tex D34 1250, bred and consigned by James Fox, Abilene.

A. L. Jamison, Tatum, Texas, another of the major buyers, bought 11 bulls for \$8,760, for an average of \$795.

Other buyers included: John Robin, Eddy; John Handy, White Oak; Montecello Farms, Montecello; Jim Adams, Mt. Pleasant; Jim Boll, Pollock; Diamond 5 Ranch, Grapeland; Lewis Woodall, Sulphur Springs; Gerald Stone, Longview; W. F. E. Grisham, Nacogdoches; W. F. E. Ranches, Red Springs; Sam Johnson, Troup; Ray Stephens, Grapeland; Gerry Waller, Sulphur Springs.

## Hereford Bulls Average \$547 In NTHA Sale

Gainesville — A lot of good cattle were offered with buyers taking home animals a lot better than the price figures reflect in the North Texas Hereford Association's sale here Nov. 20. The 47 bulls grossed \$25,685 for an average of \$547; 22 registered \$7,875 for an average of \$359; and 39 unregistered purebred females \$7,560 for an average of \$195.

In pro-sale judging, David McCall's Snow Hill Farms claimed championship with SHF British Onward by T2 Britisher 2, and the bull later sold for \$825, second high money in the sale, going to Alexander & Thomas, Valley View.

Top money went to McCall's Ossage D4 A25, contending senior class winner with the champion, that sold to Dr. N. D. Timmons, Fort Worth for \$850.

Reserve champion bull was HN L1 Domino 58 consigned by Hall Nance Ranch, Hallet, that sold to N. E. Heath, Bowie, for \$550. Nix Hereford Farm consigned the champion pen of bulls and A. B. Edwards, Jr., Henrietta, the reserve champion pen. Champion female consigned by Robert Fuhrmann, Gainesville, that sold for \$475 to Sonny Bartho, Era. Moncrief Ranches bought 13 head for a total of \$5,325 and A. C. Douthitt took 10 head for \$5,870.

## Carlot Beef Monday

Amarillo, Jan. 3 (F-S) — Panhandle Area Carlot Meat Trade (for the plant) as of 2:30 p.m. (Beef Trade-Texas Panhandle, Western Oklahoma and New Mexico). Demand and inquiry in the carcass beef trade extremely light. Not enough sales any class reported for price trend. Few

## FUTURES

Omaha, Jan. 3 (USDA) — Trading from Chicago Mercantile Exchange

Month	Sett.	Prev. Day	Sales
Feb.	39.95	40.40	4,022
Apr.	39.87	40.12	2,284
June	41.82	41.92	822
Aug.	42.82	42.85	250
Oct.	43.55	43.55	25
Dec.	43.50	43.90	22
Feb.	44.00	24.00	34
Total Sales			7,429

Month	Sett.	Prev. Day	Sales
Mar.	39.10	39.52	37
Apr.	40.40	40.50	52
May	40.45	40.90	40
Aug.	41.30	41.06	16
Sept.	41.80	41.80	4
Oct.	41.20	41.10	18
Nov.	41.20	41.30	187
Total Sales			3,807

Month	Sett.	Prev. Day	Sales
Feb.	37.50	37.82	1,589
Apr.	34.22	34.70	1,190
June	36.95	37.32	280
July	37.77	38.22	180
Aug.	36.90	36.95	30
Oct.	34.60	34.82	28
Dec.	34.85	35.00	23
Feb.	35.60	35.75	7
Total Sales			3,807

Month	Sett.	Prev. Day	Sales
Feb.	55.95	56.85	3,222
Mar.	55.60	56.40	825
Apr.	56.80	56.85	485
July	56.57	57.12	108
Aug.	54.60	55.10	51
Feb.	57.00	57.70	6
Mar.	56.60	56.75	—
Total Sales			4,477

## CATTLE ARE MIXED, HOGS SELL LOWER AT FORT WORTH

Fort Worth, Jan. 3 (F-S) — Receipts 900. Slaughter cows fully steady with the advance of the last two weeks. Slaughter calves steady to 1.00 lower. Feeder steers and steer calves weak to 50c lower. Feeder heifers firm, instances 50c higher. Heifer calves weak. Slaughter Cows: Utility 1-4 23.00-28.00, cutter 21.00-25.00. Calves: Good and choice 300-550 lbs. 28.00-30.00.

Feeder Steers and Bulls: Choice 350-500 lbs. 33.00-35.00; 500-600 lbs. 33.00-36.00; good 350-600 lbs. 32.00-35.00. Feeder Heifers: Choice 300-500 lbs. 27.00-29.40; 500-600 lbs. 28.00-29.50; good 300-500 lbs. 25.00-27.00. Hogs 300-1.00 lower. U.S. 1-3 200-240 lbs. 37.00-37.50, U.S. 1-3 200-250 lbs. 36.00-37.00, U.S. 2-3 200-270 lbs. 35.00-36.00. Sows steady: U.S. 1-3 300-600 lbs. 27.00-28.00. Boars: 300-600 lbs. 17.00, 180-220 lbs. 25.00.

## Amarillo Monday

Amarillo, Jan. 3 (F-S) — Receipts 4,500. Feeder steers firm to 1.00 higher. Feeder heifers 1.00-2.00 higher. Slaughter cows and bulls firm to 50c higher. Feeder Steers: Few choice 200-400 lbs. 39.00-43.00, 400-500 lbs. 38.50-40.00, 500-600 lbs. 35.00-37.50, 600-700 lbs. 35.70-37.10, 700-850 lbs. 34.70-36.40. Mixed good and choice 200-500 lbs. 33.50-37.50, 400-600 lbs. 31.50-36.00, 600-800 lbs. 31.50-35.50. Few good 600-800 lb. Holsteins 26.10-28.30. Good and choice 300-550 lb. bulls 32.50-35.00. Heifers: Choice 200-400 lbs. 30.00-33.10, 400-500 lbs. 29.50-32.80, 500-600 lbs. 29.00-31.50, 600-700 lbs. 29.50-30.50. Mixed good and choice 300-500 lbs. 28.00-28.50, 500-700 lbs. 26.00-28.70. Slaughter Cows: Utility 2-4 22.40-24.50, high dressing 2-3 24.50-25.40, cutter 1-3 19.50-22.50, canner and low cutter 17.50-20.00. Slaughter Bulls: Yield grade 1-3 11.00-15.50 lbs. 23.50-31.00, several high dressing 31.00-32.50, few low dressing 10.50-18.00 lbs. 25.00-28.00. Stocker and Feeder Cows: Choice young 700-850 lbs. 28.50-32.50. Good and choice aged 700-850 lbs. 20.00-22.00.

Choice 3 600-800 lbs. 61.00. Choice 4 500-800 lbs. 57.50. Heifer Beef: Choice 3 500-700 lbs. 58.75.

Greeley, Jan. 3 (F-S) — Colorado Carlot-Volume Trade — Job Colorado — 3 p.m. Monday. Steer and heifer beef steady. Trade very slow cow beef steady. Bull beef 2.00 higher. Steer Beef: Choice 3-4 600-900 lbs. 60.50. Choice 2-3 600-800 lbs. 61.00-61.50. Choice 4 600-800 lbs. 57.50. Good 2-4 600-800 lbs. 55.50. Heifer Beef: Choice 3-4 600-700 lbs. 58.00-58.50. Choice 2-3 600-700 lbs. 56.00-58.50. Choice 4 600-700 lbs. 56.00-58.50. Good 2-4 600-700 lbs. 53.50.

Des Moines, Jan. 3 (F-S) — Midwest Carlot Meat Trade for Iowa & River Market Area as of 2:15 and close. Compared to Thursday's close: Beef trade slow. Demand light. On limited sales choice steer beef steady. Not enough sales to establish trend on heifer beef. No reported sales on cow beef. Prime beef cuts forequarters 25c lower, arm chucks 75c higher. Ribs ending narrow outlet. Steer Beef: Choice 3 600-700 lbs. 61.50.

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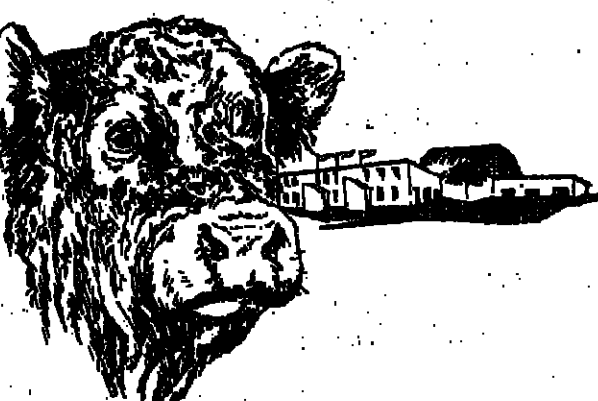
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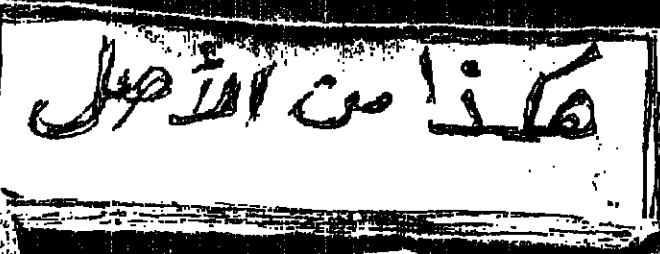


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## National Maine-Anjou Show & Sale Set Jan. 21 At Denver Stock Show

Denver — The National Maine-Anjou Show and Sale will be held at the National Western Stock Show here on Friday, Jan. 21, 1977. The show at 8 a.m. will be in the Coliseum and judged by Dr. Gary Minish. The sale will be held at 1 p.m. in the Stadium Arena and auctioned by Merrill Anderson, Broadlands, Ill.

The sale offering of 50 lots will consist of three fullblood bulls; two 15/16ths bulls; five seven-eighths bulls; four fullblood females; 15 purebred females; and 21 three-quarter females.

A special feature of the event will be entertainment by Faron Young, the singing Sheriff and his Country Deputies, one of the leading Western Club acts in the world. They will perform from 8 to 9:30 p.m. for the Maine-Anjou group at the pre-sale get-together hosted by the Wy-Col Maine

## Maine-Anjou Sale In Houston Feb. 26

Houston — Texas Maine-Anjou Association's "The Texas Tradition" sale will be held during the Houston Livestock Show in the Astrohall's Super Sale Salon at 4 p.m., Feb. 26 with an offering of 50 carefully selected percentage Maine-Anjou cattle.

In addition to the sale, the annual membership meeting of the Texas Maine-Anjou Assn. will be held at the sale headquarters, the Astro World Hotel, that day, said Calvin Fryar, association president.

## Maine-Anjou Steers Take Top Awards At Kentucky Fair

Maine-Anjou steers are awarded both Grand Champion and Reserve Grand Champion, proving once again that it is indeed the Performance Breed. Grand Champion went to "Big Red", shown by Teresa Dotson of Woodford County, Kentucky. It had a show weight of 1245 pounds. Big Red was sired by Cunia, Reserve Grand Champion went to "Eclipse" shown by Jeff Roark, also of Woodford County, Kentucky. It had a show weight of 1212 pounds. Eclipse was sired by Coca-Cola.

## Arizona Directs

Phoenix, Dec. 30 (USDA) — Steers 50-100 lower, but heifers steady. Steers 3,800. Good to mostly choice 2-3, 950-1075 lbs. 41.00-42.00 including near 600 head early in the week at 42.00; mixed good and choice 2-3, few 4's, 950-1175 lbs. 40.00-41.75, late sales largely at 40.50-41.00; mostly good, end of choice 2-3, 1000-1150 lbs. 39.50-40.50; good 2-3, 950-1100 lbs. 39.00-40.00 with few loads 1255-1200 lbs. weights, including Holsteins, at 37.00. Heifers 600. Mixed good and choice and some lots good to mostly choice 2-3, 750-925 lbs. 38.00-38.50; string mostly good, mature type, 925 lbs. at 36.00. Slaughter lambs 1,200, 1.00 higher. Choice and prime No. 1 pelt slaughter lambs 112 lbs. at 60.00.

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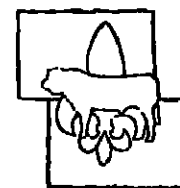
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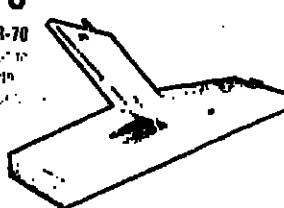
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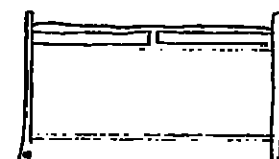
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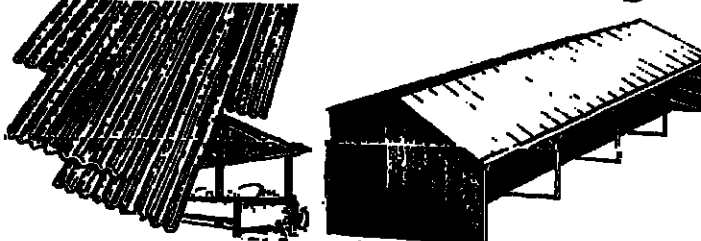
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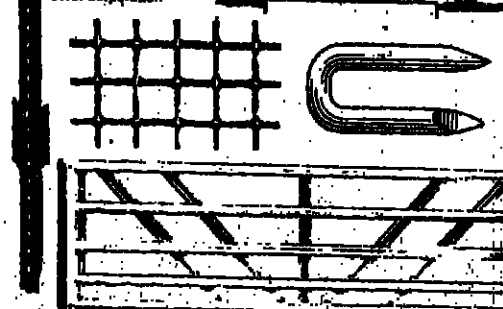
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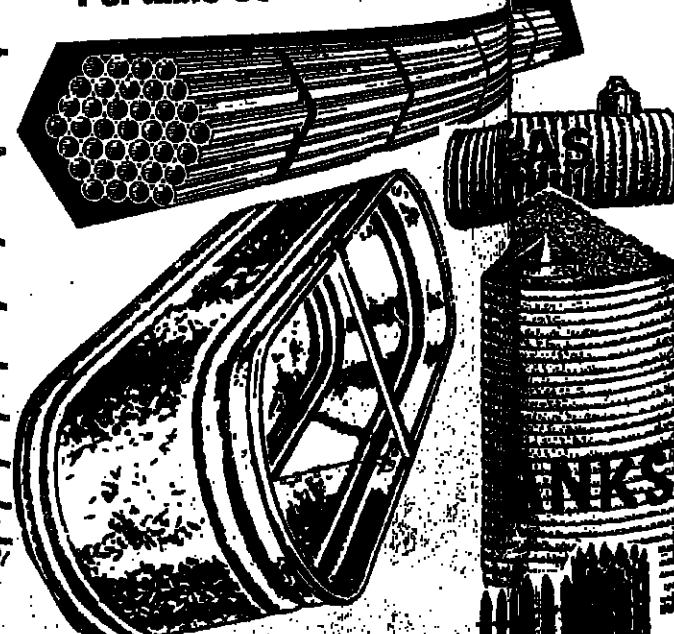
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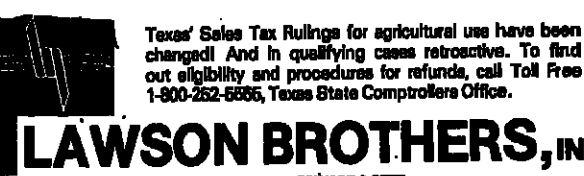
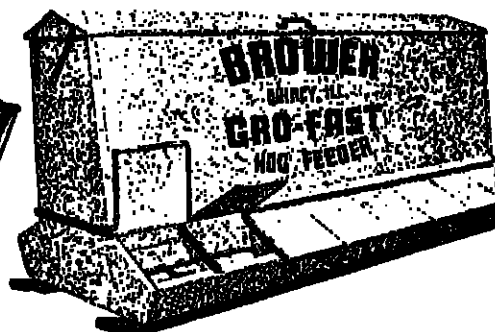
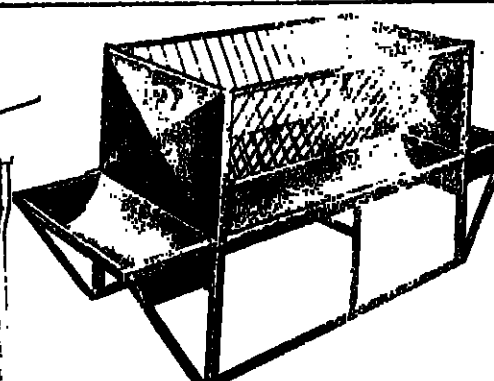
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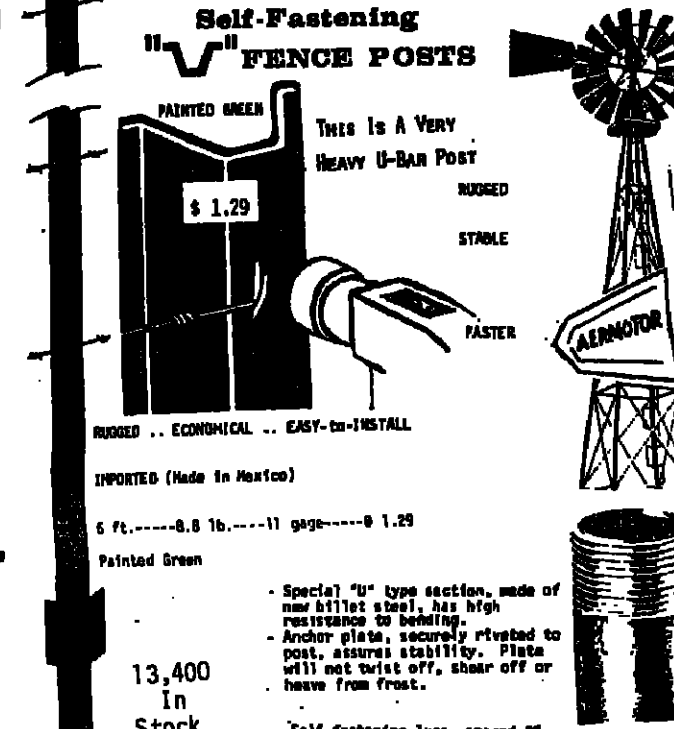
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## Odus Lowe's Shorthorn Program Is On "Beef Breeder's Target"

Rockwall, Texas — Odus A. Lowe Jr. says, "I'm on target with my Shorthorn breeding program," with a confidence born of the many concrete indications of the success of that breeding program.

The target he describes is the fine point in the beef industry which circles narrowly around the end product — a 1,000 to 1,050 pound beef animal that will slaughter a 600-650 pound carcass with yield grade 2 or 3, be choice quality, and have the marbling without excess fat that the supermarket and housewife demands.

"Everything in the American beef producing industry is geared to that kind of beef animal."

For the 25 years Lowe has been in the business of breeding registered Shorthorns that's the kind of animal he's been producing.

"Fortunately, when I decided to go into the registered Shorthorn business, I originally bought the big 1,300-1,400 pound kind of long, stretchy cows that were big milkers and would weigh a calf weighing 600 pounds or more," he said.

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When Lowe went into the registered Shorthorn business, he purchased cows of three Shorthorn "families" from some of the leading breeders of that day, some from Deas Miller at DeLeon, some from G. M. Caraway, also of DeLeon, and some from the Long Ranch at Sildell, Texas, near Denton.

His original bull was purchased from Schofield Ranch at Austin and was the son of a bull that had been sold for \$16,000 to Argentina, but had been used briefly to breed a few cows before being shipped to South America, and Lowe got the only bull calf sired by the \$16,000 bull.

When Lowe's bull calves started coming along, he liked them so well that he started a selection program he still uses today — castrating all but the top 10 percent of his bull crop each year, and keeping what he believed to be only the very best ones of the top 10 percent for his own use. (A similar strict culling program has been used on his females.)

Some of the evidences of the success of Lowe's breeding program include the popularity of his calves he breeds with livestock show judges in recent years. A heifer he bred was the grand champion Shorthorn of the All-American heifer show at Ak-Sar-Ben in 1975; another heifer he bred was the champion heifer of the Hunt County Fair at Greenville, Texas in 1976; and he bred the heifer that was champion of the Shorthorn show at the Texas State Fair in Dallas in 1976.

"In the 1976 show, at Dallas, five of the top six heifers in one class were all half sisters, and in another class six of the top 10 heifers were half sisters, all daughters of my chief herd sire," Lowe said. A steer of Lowe breeding also earned a blue ribbon in his class at the Dallas show that year.

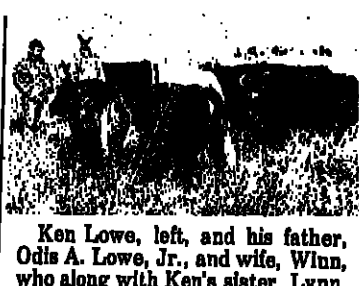
To protect the youngsters who might purchase his calves as show prospects, Lowe prices the heifers "at a price I would be willing to repay for the heifer at some later day whether she proved to be a winner or not," and he prices his steers at the top of the then-current market for similar quality and weight commercial steers.

Before going into the Shorthorn business Lowe had had Durhams, commercial Herefords, and some crossbreds, but when he decided to get into the registered business, he selected Shorthorns to get "away from eye problems" and raise cows with the ability to produce more milk. "I picked Shorthorns for their fertility, milking ability, and their ability to produce under normal commercial cattle conditions," he said.

Lowe, a two-time past president of the Texas Shorthorn Assn. and presently a member of its board of directors, says that Shorthorns have proven that they will do the job, are successful crossers with any breed as demonstrated by the fact that 81 other breeds of cattle around the world carry Shorthorn blood, and that they already are "what everybody else is trying to accomplish with introduction of the new Exotics."

"It's time for Shorthorn breeders to blow their horns," he says.

And that's the aim of the Texas Shorthorn Association, since its three major objectives for the near future are to: make a coordinated effort in public relations to acquaint people with Texas Shorthorns and the characteristics that beef cattle need, especially when the cattle go to the feedlot and you can make the Shorthorns grade there at any weight which the market demands at the time. Another major effort of the association will be to get all Shorthorn breeders involved in the association's activities and have an input into the



Ken Lowe, left, and his father, Odus A. Lowe, Jr., and wife, Winn, who along with Ken's sister, Lynn, of Dallas, are the principals in Odus Lowe Shorthorns at Rockwall, are shown with some of the Lowe brood cows. "We look at how a cow produces under commercial conditions in our culling program," Lowe says.



Lowe's chief herd sire, above, has amassed an impressive showing record through his progeny in recent years.

### SHORTHORN LASSIES ELECT OFFICERS, TWO HONORED

Officers for the National Shorthorn Lassies were elected at the American Shorthorn Association national convention in Kansas City, Mo. in November. The Lassies, a ladies auxiliary, works to promote the Shorthorn breed through publicity, sales, and educational activities.

Chosen as the 1977 national officers were: Mrs. Paul Setzerdahl, Alpha, Ill., president; Mrs. Roger Megard, Sherman, S. Dak., vice president; Mrs. Wendell Lovely, Wilsall, Mont., secretary; Mrs. Irene Korman, North Royalton, Ohio, treasurer. Other positions named were: publicity, Mrs. Marge Trubett, Linden, Ind.; membership, Mrs. Ruth Miller, Hannibal, Mo.; advisor and director, Mrs. Mrs. Wendell Lovely.

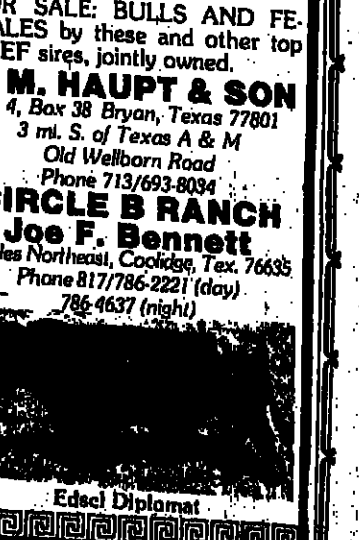
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The "milk factory" on his cows enabling them to wean calves nearly as large as the dam is one of the major concerns of Lowe in his culling program.

### K.C. SHORTHORN SALE AVERAGES \$1,544

The 1976 National Declaration of Quality Shorthorn Sale, Nov. 4-6, Kansas City, Mo., was one of the Shorthorn sales in recent years with the average sale price for 34 lots being \$1,544. Auctioneer for the event was Bruce Hrooks, Ardmore, Okla.

Top selling bull at \$5,200 was Willow Crest Lynn-O-Mile, owned by Willow Crest Shorthorns, Ft. Worth. This animal also took reserve and champion honors at the 1976 Shorthorn Show. Buyer for the bull was Peer Shorthorns, Lincoln, Neb. The bull was sired by Ball Des Peres Count.

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## Beef Revival Fosters Interest In World Shorthorn Conference

A revival in the fortunes of the beef cattle industry is creating growing interest in the second World Shorthorn Conference, to be held in Australia early next year.

Already several hundred inquiries to attend the event have been received from 10 countries.

The conference will be held in Sydney from March 29 to April 6, 1977.

It will coincide with the judging and sales of Shorthorn cattle at the Royal Easter Show and many tours have been arranged to visit some of Australia's top stud and commercial herds.

So far inquiries on the conference program have been received from cattlemen or breed societies in the United States, New Zealand, Canada, the U.K., Africa, the Argentine, Malaysia, Pakistan, Russia and Japan.

Other countries such as Sweden, Italy, Greece, Iran and Arab nations, Spain, India, the Philippines and Indonesia have inquired about importing some of the many Shorthorn breeds available from Australia.

Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh, has been asked to open the Conference in his official capacity as president of the Agricultural Societies of the Commonwealth.

Speakers will come from not only Australia but also the United Nations, the United States, England, Scotland, Canada, Africa and New Zealand.

The World Shorthorn Conference is open to anyone interested in cattle breeding. Trade inquiries: Mr. J. Hawkins, Conference Secretary, G.P.O. Box 3854, Sydney, New South Wales, Australia 2001.

## November Red Meat Production Up 16%, 8% for 11 Months

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output for January-November 1976 was up 8% from 1975, change by individual components: Beef, up 9%, veal, down 2%; pork, up 7%; lamb and mutton, down 10%.

Beef production totaled nearly 2.1 billion pounds, 8% above November last year and 7% more than November 1974. Cattle killed totaled 3,490,800 head, 1% above last year and 6% over November 1974. Live weight per head averaged 1,029 pounds, 87 pounds more than November 1975 and 13 pounds above November 1974.

There were 72 million pounds of veal produced in November, 5% below the 76 million pounds produced in November 1975. Calf slaughter at 466,400 head was down 2% from a year ago but 44% above the November 1974 kill. Live weight per head averaged 277 pounds, compared with 288 for November 1975 and 280 for November 1974.

Pork production totaled nearly 1.3 billion pounds in November, 30% over a year ago and 12% over November 1974. Hog kill totaled 7,466,300 head, 40% over last year but only slightly above November 1974. Live weight per head averaged 243 pounds, 2 pounds below November 1975 and 1 pound under November 1974. Land rendered per 100 pounds live weight was 6.0 pounds, compared with 6.4 for November 1975.

There were 30 million pounds of lamb and mutton produced in November, an increase of 7% from a year earlier. Sheep and lamb slaughter totaled 537,600 head, less than 1% greater than a year ago and 16% lower than November 1974. Average live weight was 112 pounds, 4 pounds above last year and 8 pounds over November 1974.

## WOOL SUMMARY

National Wool Market Review, Dec. 31 (USDA) — An inactive wool market prevails which is characteristic for the holiday period. Approximately 140,000 lbs. of wool sold in the territory states during the past week, bulk 62s original bag sold from 64-89 1/2 cents grease basis FOB while original 60s edged 62s ranged 1.05-1.70 clean delivered and 60s edged 58s sold 1.60-1.65 in the fleece area. The only activity reported was at the farm level where small lots of fresh short mixed 50/58s moved to handlers at 62-65 cents grease FOB.

## K.C. SHORTHORN SALE

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In the female division the top seller was Green Ridge Robin a popular heifer at \$2,150. Sired by H. H. Model Perfection, the animal was owned by Greenridge and Taylor, Prairie City, Ill. and bought by Gary and Pam Naylor, Champagne, Ill.

Another top seller was Hub's B.P. Impact 7644, named calf champion at the national show. It was sold for \$4500. The three interest buyers were Roger Steiger, Delavan, Ill., Dave Stock, Mt. Paluska, Ill., and Merl Welch, Wataga, Ill.

Other top prices were garnered by the following animals: Sutherland Ransom 147, owned by Sutherland Farms, Prospect, Ky., sold to Marshland Farms, Plains, Kans., \$3,000; B Wonder's Chief Mate, owned by Berg's Shorthorns, Osage, Iowa, sold to Dr. Harlan, Avon, Mo., \$2,050; J.W.B. Miss Columbine, owned by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Brune, Lee's Summit, Mo., sold to Stanley Harper, Ogden, Ill., \$2,025.

## Top of the World Pinzgauer Sale In Denver Jan. 19

Denver — The Top of the World Pinzgauer Sale will be a feature of the National Western Stock Show here beginning at 7 p.m., Wednesday, Jan. 19, 1977, in the Stock Show Arena.

Selling will be 80 lots including purebred bulls, purebred females, 75 percent Pinzgauer bulls, bred and open 75 percent Pinzgauer females; and bred and open 50 percent Pinzgauer females.

The sale will be managed by Professional Cattle Services, Bruce Buechner, Route 1, Wynnewood, Oklahoma 73098, phone 405/665-4001. Eddie Wood will be auctioneer.

A special feature of the sale will be the sale of one-half interest and one-half possession in the popular sire, Prince, plus 2,000 vials of semen.

## Western Kansas Directs

Dodge City, Dec. 30 (USDA) — Slaughter steers and heifers closed steady to mostly 50c lower, instances 1.00 off. Steers 10,400; Late sales, choice 2-4 1050-1250 lbs. 38.00-40.00, mostly 40.00 later; choice with and good 1075-1150 lbs. 39.00-39.50, few loads 1250 lbs. Holsteins 34.75. Heifers 5,600; Choice 2-4 925-1125 lbs. 37.50-38.00, mostly 38.00, about 600 head 38.25; few choice 375-900 lbs. 37.50-37.75; choice with end good 925-975 lbs. 37.25.

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## Cowtown Select Texas Longhorn Sale January 30

Fort Worth — The First Annual Cowtown Select Texas Longhorn Sale will be held Sunday, January 30, 1977. The sale, sanctioned by TLBAA, will be held at the Fort Worth Stockyards on North Main Street.

Selling are 90 lots including 90 females, 5 bulls and 5 steers. Auctioneer will be Eddie Wood. Sale headquarters will be the Ramada Inn Central at the intersection of Beach Street and the Dallas-Fort Worth Turnpike, 817/634-4801.

For information contact the sale management, Professional Cattle Services, Bruce Buechner, Route 1, Wynnewood, Ok. 73098, 405/665-4001.

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waste would be eliminated. This is one of the things that every President in recent history tried to do and the end result has been a steady increase in the millions of Burrocrats, most of them safe & snug under Civil Service and untouchable regardless of how useless they may be.

Recent figures on the number of Federal Burrocrats show about 3,000,000 on the Govt payroll. Of these a total of 2,200 will be positions which Carter can fill with his own personal picks. The real operators of

the Govt ain't in the White House or Congress, they are safely ensconced in the various Bureaus and whether they do the bidding of the President or his appointees is a matter of whether they want to, or not.

The top Burrocrats enjoy close ties with Congressional Committees and sub-committees, and when they start playing games what the White House wants and what the White House gets are two entirely different animals.

Not all of the folks who are taking credit for Carter's victory are as happy as Mayor Beame. Some of the pressure groups are openly dismayed at some of the appointees to the Cabinet. Some others, including Congressmen and Senators, who had a stay in the limelight which indicated they were "under consideration" are properly turned off since they were not among the chosen.

All those political promises which folks found sounded so nice during the campaign are turnin' out to be just promises, as the new President and his staff come face to face with reality on Jan. 20. As the time approaches when Carter must actually pick up the reins and start takin' the Economy, Furrin Affairs, Social Progress, Taxes, Unemployment, Imports, and dozens of other things, these campaign promises will fade like our New Year Resolutions.

Don't expect any thing very startlin' or diffunt. The Carter Cabinet looks too much like the Old Familiar Faces we been seein' in Washington for years and years. About the only sure bet these days is that Jimmy Carter will, sooner or later, have to lay down some blue-

## Beef Gains Seen

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prices. However, beef production is likely to be decreasing during the latter part of 1977.

"During the past year, beef production was at a record high level — about 10% greater than in 1976, in fact. This brought a decrease in average cattle and beef prices. In our own survey of supermarkets, four 1976 average price of live cuts was 12¢ per pound less than in 1975. As of mid-December, the five-cut average was down 19¢ from a year earlier."

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outlook. However, based on the current outlook, prices may not reach the level of mid-1975, when supplies of higher quality fed beef were particularly limited.

At any rate, there will continue to be some fluctuations in prices as a result of changes in supplies of beef and other meats. For one thing, Finney explained, unforeseen weather and pasture conditions can markedly affect beef supplies.

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"This will mean increases in average cattle and beef prices. Cattle prices simply have to get back to a point where they are higher than today's inflated production costs, and where cattlemen can begin to recoup their losses. If we don't experience some improvement soon, more producers will be forced out of the business, and consumers eventually will find much less beef available, at much higher prices."

## "Rehab '77" TV Auction Jan. 8

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Retail Value \$900.00; Wedge Implement of Stamford, 7 shank Wedge chisel plow. Retail Value \$780.00; Butcher Block, 1/2 beef — Retail Value \$250.00; Shook Tire Company, 1 set of 4 Michelin Steel Belted radial tires — Retail Value \$425.00; Ponder Company, Executive desk, chair with secretary's desk and chair — Retail Value \$2,000.00; Abilene Portable Buildings, 1-8 x 12 colored building — Retail Value \$500.00; James Laddy, 1 pair of Ostrich or Ant Ester Boots — Retail Value \$325.00; Gardener Turkeys, 10 turkeys — Retail Value \$175.00; Elanco, 5 cans of Treflan — Retail Value \$600.00; Bill Fagan of Hamlin, 1200 gallons of diesel delivered within 50 miles of Abilene — Retail Value \$480.00; and Sears, Micro-wave oven — Retail Value \$400.00.

Also donated are Knight Kampers, 1 camper — Retail Value \$425.00; Harold Crawford Firestone, 28" Phil color T.V. — Retail Value \$700.00; Subaru, Subaru — Retail Value \$3,616.40; Aceo Feed Company, 6 tons of 21% Breeder Cubes — Retail Value \$900.00; Luskey's Western Store of Texas, H-C 1-Men's Dress Suit — Retail Value \$160.00; Silver Luskey Roper Saddle — Retail Value \$950.00; Luskey Roper Boots — 8 pair — Retail Value \$125.00 a pair; Rosistol Hat — Retail Value \$125.00; Thorntons, Refrigerator — Retail Value \$500.00; Logan's Trenching, 8 hours of backhoe service — Retail Value \$150.00; Arrow Ford, 2 elite cars — Retail Value \$3,500.00 each; Jim Dean, 6 pig skin coats — Ladies or Men's — Retail Value \$185.00 each; Goodbird Industries of Lubbock and Marfa, 6 tons Mineral Block for Lubbock or Marfa — Retail Value \$900.00; Bratton and SoRelle of Haskell, 1 mile of parallel terracing within 40 miles of Haskell — Retail Value \$1,400.00; Abilene Grain and Purina Feeds, 3 tons of 20% Purina range cubes — Retail Value \$480.00; General Welding Works of Stamford, 10' x 20' building — Retail Value \$1,050.00; Abilene Travel Town, Versa-Travel Trailer — Retail Value \$879.00; Wendy Ryan, hand made saddle — Retail Value \$500.00; and W. W. Manufacturing Company, Beef Master XL, Squeeze Chute with vest gate — Retail Value \$740.00.

Also, Boyd Industries and West Texas Veterinary Supply Company, 1-15' Boyd built combination hay and feed trough — Retail Value \$500.00; 2-8' troughs — Retail Value \$65.00 each, and 2-12' troughs — Retail Value \$80.00 each.

Those people wishing to bid on these items can do so by watching the Rehab telecast starting at 7 p.m. January 8.

## Southwest Texas Directs

San Angelo, Dec. 31 (F-S) — No sales reported on slaughter steers and heifers. Slaughter lambs fairly active, mostly 2-00 higher than two weeks ago. Local feedlots fairly current. Slaughter Lambs 8,000; Choice and prime 90-105 lbs. with No. 1 and 2 pelts 49.00-50.00, mostly 49.00-49.50. Lambs weighing over 105 lbs. being discounted 20 cents per lb. per cwt.

## New Mexico Directs

Clovis, Dec. 30 (USDA) — Slaughter steers and heifers steady to 50¢ lower. Steers 800; Mixed good and choice 1025-1050 lbs. 2-5 39.50-40.00. Heifers 850; Mixed good and choice 875-925 lbs. 2-3 37.00 and few choice 750 lbs. 38.00.

## Classified Sell Farm Supplies

## LIVESTOCK CALENDAR

JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	MAY
1-8—North Houston Feed Yard Equipment Sale, Houston, Tex.	1-1/8—Sand Hills Stock Show & Rodeo, Odessa, Tex.	1-3/9—Arizona National Livestock Show, Phoenix, Ariz.	1-5—Southeastern Brangus Breeders Range Bull Sale, Tifton, Ga.	1-5—Pines & Plains Brangus Breeders Range Bull Sale, Jones Aug.

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- 1-8—Gainesville Simmental Bull Prod. Sale, Gainesville L/S Aug., Gainesville, Tex., Cecil Ward.
- 1-10—Circle P Ranch Polled Hereford Sale, Des Arc, Ark.
- 1-10—Medina Valley Hereford Bull Sale, Honda, Texas.
- 1-10—Premier Brangus Sale, Montgomery, Ala.
- 1-11—Special Bred Cow & Heifer Sale, Maryville L/S Aug., Maryville, Mo., Dave Daniel.
- 1-12—Bull-O-Rama Brangus Bull Sale, Beeville, Tex., Syler S.Mgmt.
- 1-13—(Night) Mile High Chianina Club Calf Sale, Denver, Colo.
- 1-14—7th Annual No. American Limousin Foundation Sale, Denver, Colo., American Cattle Services.

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- 1-15—Big B Brahman Bull Sale, L/S Comm. Co., Sulphur Springs, Tex., Gayle Ingram.
- 1-15—Summit Limousin Sale, Bennett, CO., American Cattle Serv.
- 1-15—National Western Chianina Sale, Denver, Colo.
- 1-16—Denver Red Sunday Red Angus Sale, L/S Arena, 7 PM, Denver, Colo., Sheridan Red Angus Breeders.
- 1-16/24—National Western Stock Show, Denver, Colo.
- 1-17—National Western Shorthorn Sale, Denver, Colo., American Cattle Services, Inc.
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- 1-22—Slicker Cow Sale, Jones Livestock Auction, 12 noon, Sulphur Springs, Tex.
- 1-22—1977 National Western Simmental Sale, Denver, Colo., Reyes-Reyes & Fider.
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- 1-28/2-6—Southwestern Exposition & Fat Stock Show, Ft. Worth, Tex., S.Mgmt.
- 1-29—Fritch-Barnes Simmental Dispersal, Waxahachie L/S Comm Co., Waxahachie, Tex., Gayle Ingram.
- 1-30—Commercial Hereford Bull Show & Sale, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- 1-30—Chisholm Trail Polled Hereford Prod. Sale, Rhine, Tex.
- 1-30—North Texas Longhorn Select Sale, Ft. Worth Skydys, Ft. Worth, Tex., Professional Cattle Services.
- 1-31—Polled Hereford Southwest Select Sale, Stock Show, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- 1-31—Jack Turner ROM Hereford Show, Stockshow, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- 1-31—Texas Hereford Assn. Annual Meeting and Banquet, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- 2-1—August Performance Bull Sale & Commercial Heifer Sale, Ft. Worth, Tex.
- 2-1/4—ANCA Annual Convention, Atlanta, Ga.
- 2-2—Woodward Ranch Hereford Bull Sale, Woodward, Okla.
- 2-4—Southwestern Limousin Sale, Fort Worth, American Cattle Serv.
- 2-4/12—Southwestern International Livestock Show & Rodeo, El Paso, Tex.
- 2-4/13—San Antonio Livestock Exposition, San Antonio, Tex.
- 2-5—Stephens County Livestock Growers Hereford Bull Sale, Comanche, Okla.
- 2-5—Blue Bonnet Charolais Show Window Sale, Ft. Worth, Tex., Longhorns Charolais S.Mgmt.
- 2-5—All American Classic Simmental Sale, Ft. Worth, Tex., John Collier IV.
- 2-6—Quarter Horse Sale, Stock Show, 2 P.M., Ft. Worth, Tex., John Carlie.
- 2-7/9—Ark-La-Miss Livestock Show, Monroe, La.
- 2-8—Oklahoma Hereford Assn. Bull Sale, Durant, Okla.
- 2-9—River Caks Farm Hereford Prod. Sale, Searcy, Ark.
- 2-10—Los Amigos Santa Gertrudis Sale, John Martin Ranches & Los Jabonillos Ranch, Alice, Tex.
- 2-11—American Simmental Assn. Convention, Downtown Holiday Inn, Jackson, Miss.
- 2-11—Northeast Arkansas Polled Hereford Assn. Sale, Jonesboro, Ark.
- 2-11—Gulf Coast Hereford Consignment Sale, Columbus, Tex.
- 2-12—1977 Simmental Herd Bull Premier Sale, Dixie Natl. Exhib. Grds., Jackson, Miss., Spons. Mississippi Simmental Assn.
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Production (Million Lbs.)	1-1-77	1-1-76
Week Ended	1-1-77	1-1-76
Beef	255.2	249.7
Calf	9.6	8.8
Pork	207.3	185.9
Lamb	6.9	6.8
Total	618.0	580.2

Slaughter (Head)	1-1-77	1-1-76
Cattle	849,000	606,000
Calves	75,000	70,000
Hogs	1,240,000	970,000
Sheep	110,000	106,000

Average Weights (Lbs.)	1-1-77	1-1-76
Cattle	1088	1010
Calves	224	224
Hogs	238	244
Sheep	108	108

Week End. 12-18-76  
Cattle 849,000  
Calves 75,000  
Hogs 1,240,000  
Sheep 110,000

Day Test Results  
Are Announced

Gainesville, Tex. — Cooke County College has reported 10 animals on test during the 17th testing period at the CCC Beef Evaluation Center.

The bulls were delivered to the center on August 2, 1976. After undergoing a 21-day warm-up period, the official testing period began August 23, 1976. The 28-day report was completed on September 20, 1976.

The 10 bulls showed an average daily gain of 4.05 lbs. per bull for this testing period.

The 56-day report was completed on October 18, 1976. The 10 bulls showed an average daily gain of 5.18 lbs. per bull for this testing period. The 84-day report was completed on November 15, 1976. The 10 bulls showed an average daily gain of 8.88 lbs. per bull for this testing period. The 112-day report was completed on December 13, 1976. The 10 bulls showed an average daily gain of 8.60 lbs. per bull for this reporting period. Individual results are included in this publication.

## Top Gaining Individuals to Date

Pulte Farms, Gainesville, Limousin, 1176 lbs. 112 day weight, 520 lbs. total gain, and 4.64 ADG.

Campbell & McNeill, Wills Point, Charolais, 1150 lbs. 112 day weight, 520 lbs. total gain, and 4.64 ADG.

Cold Comfort Farm, Gainesville, Charolais, 1250 lbs. 112 day weight, 470 lbs. total gain, and 4.20 ADG.

Pulte Farms, Gainesville, Limousin, 1130 lbs. 112 day weight, 465 total gain, and 4.15 ADG.

T. J. Davidson, Director of the test has announced the next weighing will be January 10-11, 1977.

U. S. Beef Breeds  
Council Elects

U.S. Beef Breeds Council members held their annual meeting in Dallas on December 8 and elected officers for the coming year.

The Council is made up of the executive officers of nine major beef breed associations. Elected to serve as president for the coming year was Jay Gossett, Houston, Executive Secretary of the American International Charolais Association. He succeeds Orville Sweet, Kansas City, of the American Polled Hereford Association.

The new vice-president is H. H. (Hop) Dickenson, Kansas City, Executive Vice-President of the American Hereford Association. Roy Liley, Executive Secretary of the International Brangus Association, San Antonio, was elected to the post of secretary, and Don Werth of the American Hereford Association is the new treasurer.

Man's relationship to Christmas changes from believing in Santa Claus, not believing in Santa Claus, until finally he is Santa Claus.

- 2-12—Texas Brangus Breeders "Top of Texas" Female Sale, San Antonio, Tex., P&F Cattle Co.  
2-12—Noble Foundation Tested Bull Sale, Ardmore, Okla.  
2-12—South Texas Brahman Assn. Futurity Sale, Lone Star Comm. Co., San Antonio, Tex., Watson Cattle Serv.  
2-12—Deep East Texas Polled Hereford Assn. Annual Sale, L/S Mkt., Woodville, Tex., TPHA  
2-13—1st Annual South Texas Chianina Assn. Sale, San Antonio, Tex., Lytle Tom  
2-14—18th Blue Ribbon Charolais Sale, Lone Star Comm. Co., San Antonio, Tex., Spons. Texas Charolais Sales Corp.  
2-14—Healy Bros. Flying L Ranch Hereford Sale, Davis, Okla.  
2-16—Panhandle Hereford Breeders Annual Sale, Coudy Sales Arena, Amarillo, Tex.  
2-16—38th Annual OK&T Angus Sale, Buffalo, Okla.  
2-18—Louisiana Charolais Brdrs. Cajun Classics Sale, 6:30 PM, LSU Fragnard, Baton Rouge, La., Jernigans Charolais S.Mgmt.  
2-18—24th Test Center Sale, Livingston, N.M.  
2-19—Annual So. Texas Polled Hereford Assn. Sale, Stockshow, San Antonio, Tex.  
2-19—Ralph Prosser Red Brahman Prod. Sale, Lone Star Comm. Co., San Antonio, Texas, Watson Cattle Service  
2-19—Farm Equipment Sale, 10 AM, China, Tex., Horn's Auc. Service, Stuart Horn  
2-20—Heston McBride Club Calf Sale, Llano, Tex.  
2-21—Leslie Hudgins Red Brahman Dispersal, Hungerford, Tex.  
2-23/2-8—Houston Livestock Show & Rodeo, Houston, Tex.  
2-23—Top of Texas Angus Sale, 7 PM, Stock Show, Houston, Tex.  
2-23—Holstein Sale, Spons. Holstein-Friesian Assn. of Texas, 1 PM, Houston, Tex.  
2-23/24—World International Chianina Federation Meeting, Houston, Tex.  
2-24—8th Annual Gulf Coast Char-Trek Grand Ballroom Sale, 2 PM, Marriott Hotel, Houston, Tex., No. American Auc. Co., Spons. Gulf Coast Charolais Brdrs. Assn.  
2-24—Texas Chianina Assn. Sale, Houston, Tex.  
2-24—Bluebonnet Brangus Breeders Pick of the Breed Sale, 8 PM, Houston, Tex., P&F Cattle Co.  
2-24—2nd Annual Regional Texas-Oklahoma Tarentaise Sale, 9 AM, Houston, Tex.  
2-24—National Brahman Sale, Super Salon, 1 PM, Houston, Tex.  
2-25—Weaver Ranch/Waltrip Ranch 3rd Annual Chianina Prod. Sale, Houston, Tex.  
2-25—Texas Charolais Brdrs. Sale of Sales, 7 PM, Stock Show, Houston, Tex., Jernigan Charolais S.Mgmt.  
2-25—Fabulous 40 Simmental Sale, Houston, Tex.  
2-25—American-Internationals Marchigiana National Sale, 5 PM, Astrohall Super Sale Salon, Houston, Texas.  
2-25—Beefmaster Futurity Show & Sale, Auc. Sale Ring, Houston, Tex., Reyes Reyes & Elder  
2-26—Mid-Coast Santa Gertrudis Assn. Super Sale, 10 A.M., Houston, Tex., Superior Sales  
2-26—McCurd County Reg. Cattle Brdrs. Assn. Prod. Sale, 1 PM, Idabel, Okla.  
2-26—Harris Farms Brangus Prod. Sale, Columbus, Tex.  
2-26—Wild Horse Hereford Bull Sale, Okmulgee, Okla.  
2-26—Texas Limousin Assn. Sale, Houston, American Cattle Serv.  
2-26—Polled Santa Gertrudis Assn. Sale, 2 PM, Houston, Tex., Superior

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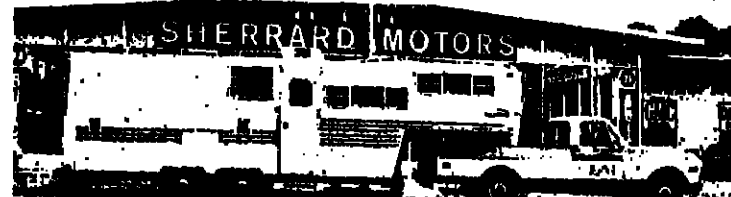
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Jim Wannamaker, Ellis, Kan., is president, and Lantis McCarter, Michie, Tenn., is vice president. The National Beefmaster Assn. will establish its offices in Fort Worth.

## Replacement Cattle

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## Plentiful Supplies of Meat in 1977

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beef production will drop slightly in 1977. The record high corn crop in 1976 should encourage more hog production and bring about the largest pork supplies since 1974. Beef production and total red meat consumption were the highest ever in 1976, Lyng said.

In 1977, the supply of red meat will average 191.6 pounds per person, down about a half a pound from the 1976 record per capita figure of 192.0 pounds. By categories, this is: 123.0 pounds of beef, down 5.5 pounds; 63.5 pounds of pork, up nearly 6 pounds; and about 2 pounds of lamb and a little over 3 pounds of veal, Lyng said.

Total red meat production will increase slightly from 89.5 billion pounds in 1976 to 90.7 billion pounds in 1977. Most of this increase will come in pork which will go up to 13.7 billion pounds, over a billion pounds higher than the 1976 figure of 12.4 billion pounds. Beef production will drop slightly from 25.9 billion pounds in 1976 to 25.0 billion pounds in 1977. The American Meat Institute is the national trade association of the meat packing and processing industry.

## Bleiberville Brangus Bull Sale Set Jan. 15 At Port City in Sealy

Sealy, Texas — The Bleiberville Brangus Breeders' annual "Heart of Brangus Country" bull sale will be held Saturday, January 15, 1977, at 1 p.m. in the Port City Stockyards here.

Selling will be 100 Brangus bulls "that make sense." Featured will be range bulls and a few top hard sire prospects from the leading Brangus breeders in the area.

Auctioneer will be Gerald Bowie, West Point, Ga.

Further information is available from the sale managers, Matt and Ann Syler, Syler Sales Management, Inc., Route 2, Box 35, Burton, Texas 77839; phone 713/289-4400.

## South Texas Brangus Bull-O-Rama Sale Jan. 12 At Beeville

Beeville, Texas — The South Texas Brangus Bull-O-Rama Sale will be held Wednesday, Jan. 12, beginning at 1 p.m., in the Bee County Livestock Market.

The offering of 80 range bulls are all breeding age registered Brangus, ready to work, Bangs, TB and fertility tested.

Lunch will be available at the sale site.

Sale headquarters will be the Drummers Inn, Beeville, Texas, phone 512/858-5128.

Sale day phone will be 512/858-1727.

Auctioneer will be Gerald Bowie, West Point, Ga.

Further information is available from the sale managers, Matt and Ann Syler, Syler Sales Management, Inc., Route 2, Box 35, Burton, Texas 77839, phone 713/289-4400.

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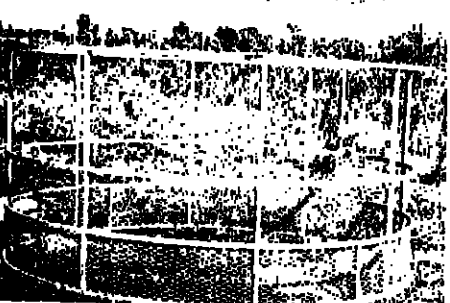
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## Pines And Plains Brangus Breeders Bull Sale Jan. 8

Sulphur Springs — The Pines and Plains Brangus Breeders Association's 6th Annual bull sale will be held at the Jones Auction Barn five miles south of here on Highway 19 beginning at 1 p.m., Saturday, Jan. 8, 1977.

All of the 190 bulls to be offered will be 18 to 48 months of age. Bangs, TB and fertility tested, and all are registered Brangus.

Auctioneer will be Bert Reyes, San Antonio.

Sale headquarters will be the Ramada Inn, Sulphur Springs.

Further information is available from Syler Sales Management, Inc., Route 2, Box 35, Burton, Texas 77839, phone 713/289-4400.

## Violeta Beefmaster Sale Set January 15 At Hebronville

Hebronville, Tex. — The Violeta Ranch Beefmaster Sale will be held

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Saturday, January 15, 1977. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. Hebronville; turn left on FM 4498, six miles, turn right at Violeta Sign thru gate.

Selling is a Beefmaster herd bull and 37 head of coming two-year-old hard bull prospects and range bulls. All of the bulls have been fertility tested. Beefmaster females selling include 45 bred and open heifers, all pregnancy tested and 10 proven bred Beefmaster cows. All animals selling were bred and

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average of 7.1 pigs per litter for a total spring pig crop of 227,000 head. Sows farrowing during June-November totaled 87,000 or 18% more than a year ago. The average number of pigs saved per litter, at 7.0 pigs, made a total fall pig crop of 259,000 pigs. This fall's crop was 14% above the June-November 1976 crop.

November 1976 reported intentions to farrow 36,000 sows during the December 1976 through May 1977 period. This would be 4,000 more sows than were farrowed in the state during the corresponding period last year.

Okla. City Monday

Oklahoma City, Jan. 3 (USDA) — Receipts 1,000. Slaughter cows generally steady, 60c lower. Bulls mostly 1.00 higher. Slaughter Cows: Utility and commercial 2-3 25.50-26.75; cutter 21.25-23.00, few high dressing cutter 23.50-25.75; canner and low cutter 18.75-21.00. Bulls: Yield grade 1-2 1000-1500 lbs. 32.75-35.00. Few cutter and utility stock cows 21.50-22.50, few good and choice replacement cows 23.25-25.00, few good yield grade 2-3 slaughter steers 1118-1299 lbs. 33.25-34.40.

Feeder steers and heifers under 500 lbs. generally steady. Feeder Steers: Choice 300-500 lbs. 37.00-41.00, few 750-870 lbs. 33.50-35.50; mixed good and choice 300-500 lbs. 35.00-37.00; good 300-400 lbs. 32.50-34.00. Heifers: Choice 300-500 lbs. 35.00-37.00; mixed good and choice 300-500 lbs. 27.00-29.00, few 500-600 lbs. 27.25-28.50; good 300-600 25.00-26.00.

Hogs 1,400: Mostly steady to 60c higher. U.S. 1-2 200-250 lbs. 39.75-41.10. U.S. 1-3 200-270 lbs. 38.25-39.50. U.S. 2-3 240-300 lbs. 36.00-37.75. Sows: 50c to 1.00 higher. U.S. 1-3 350-620 lbs. 29.00-31.40. Boars: All weights 17.25-19.40. Feeder Pigs: 145 head, steady. U.S. 1-2 40-90 lbs. 32.50-36.00. U.S. 1-3 100-175 lbs. 23.75-30.50.

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Greeley, Dec. 30 (F-B) — Steers fully 1.00 lower than late last week, heifers 50c to fully 1.00 lower. Steers 2,250. Broad range choice 2-4 1100-1220 lbs. 39.00-40.00, large bulk 39.25-39.75; few loads good to mostly choice Holsteins 1300 lbs. 35.50 early. Around 400 on a carcass basis. Heifers 2,450. Bulk choice 2-4 950-1075 lbs. 37.50-38.00, load or so early to 38.85; few loads with end-high good 37.00. Some 760 on a carcass basis, same terms as for steers.

Slaughter Lambs 1,400: Choice and prime 103-115 lbs. with No. 1 to 3 pelts 47.50-48.50, few wooled lambs included at 48.00; some lambs in this bulk range with 115 lbs. weight limit, 20 cents per ewe, to be deducted for each pound over the limit; few loads 120-135 lbs. 44.00, load or so 140-145 lbs. 41.00 with no weight limits. Wool confirmed 62,500 lbs. One small lot mixed grade lamb's wool 78 cents grease; balance sold earlier this month and previously unreported, also mixed grade lamb's wool 80 cents.

## Pybas And Ward Simmental Sale At Gainesville Jan. 8

Gainesville, Texas — The Pybas and Ward Simmental Production Sale will be held Saturday, January 8, 1977. Sale time is 1:00 p.m. at the Gainesville Livestock Auction in Gainesville, Texas.

This Simmental bull sale offers 90 lots of percentage Simmental bulls including 1/2, 3/4 and 4/8 bloods. Pastured will be mostly Galant, Extra and Apollo breeding from Hereford base cows. The sale offers the opportunity to buy some of the best percentage Simmental bulls with a large number to select from.

For further information contact Gainesville Livestock Auction, Box 1065, Gainesville, Texas 76240, 817/665-4367. Pybas Ranch, 817/665-0646. Thurman Ward, 817/665-3692, or Cecil Ward, 817/665-3167.

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